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Mr. Robert H. Bahmer
Chief Archivist of the United States
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8th Street & Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Bahmer:

You are undoubtedly familiar with the fact that on September 28, 1966 I introduced, in the House, H.Con.Res. 1023. My statement in connection with it is found at page 23203 of the Congressional Record of that date. I am enclosing a copy of the statement.

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I have been much concerned about the fact that there was no opportunity given the Warren Commission to examine the X-rays and photographs taken during the autopsy of President Kennedy.

In my opinion, these could have a significant bearing on the question of whether it was a single bullet that hit both President Kennedy and wounded Governor Connally.

Accordingly, I would like to arrange for an opportunity to examine the X-rays and photographs, which I am informed are now in the Archives, when I return to Washington for the 90th Congress. I would prefer some time in the middle of January.

In order to have an informed judgment on the subject, I would have with me Dr. Milton Helpern, New York City's Chief Medical Examiner, and Dr. Cyril H. Wecht, who is the Chief Deputy Coroner and Chief Forensic Pathologist of Allegheny County (Pittsburgh), Pennsylvania, and Sylvia Meagher, 302 West 12th Street, New York City, who has studied the Warren Commission Report and prepared an index to the 26 volumes of exhibits, etc. Her presence would be needed, so that we would have the various factual matters available as we examine the photographs and X-rays.

If you could also arrange for a suitable viewing room, that would be appreciated.

May I hear from you as soon as possible on this so that I can make the necessary arrangements for the other three parties all to be present.

Thank you for your courtesy.

Sincerely yours,

(signed)
Theodore R. Kupferman, M.C.

Exhibit "A"